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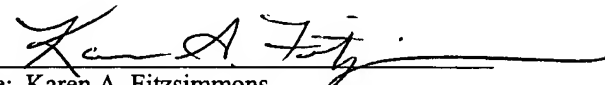
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Dear Sir:

Applicants have received and reviewed the Notice of Allowability for the above-referenced matter. Applicants thank the Examiner for this Notice.

It is noted that an Information Disclosure Statement was submitted to the U.S. Patent Office on July 30, 2004. Upon review of the returned Form 1449, it appears that a reference listed under "Other Documents" was inadvertently not initialed. Applicants ask that the Examiner kindly return a completed copy of the 1449 Form indicating consideration of each of the references submitted. If convenient, the Examiner may simply fax a copy of the completed 1449 Form to 612/332-9081: Attn: Karen Fitzsimmons.

The Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' representative at 612/371-5340 if any questions or concerns arise.

Respectfully submitted,



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